minutes. Dilute an aliquot with sufficient dimethylformamide to give a stock solution containing 400 units of nystatin per milliliter (estimated). Remove and dilute with 10 percent potassium phosphate buffer, pH 6.0 (solution 6), to the reference concentration of 20 units of nystatin per milliliter (estimated).

(2) *pH.* Proceed as directed in §436.202 of this chapter, using the undiluted suspension.

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§ 449.150c Nystatin for oral suspension.

- (a) Requirements for certification—(1) Standards of identity, strength, quality, and purity. Nystatin for oral suspension is a dry powder consisting of nystatin, and suitable and harmless suspending substances, preservatives, diluents, colorings, and flavorings. When the suspension is prepared as directed in its labeling, each milliliter contains 100,000 units of nystatin. Its potency is satisfactory if it is not less than 90 percent and not more than 140 percent of aliquot of the stock solution and further the number of units of nystatin that it is represented to contain. The pH of the reconstituted drug is not less than 4.9 and not more than 5.5. Its moisture content is not more than 7.0 percent. The nystatin used conforms to the standards prescribed §449.50(a)(1).
- (2) Labeling. It shall be labeled in accordance with the requirements of §432.5 of this chapter.
- (3) Requests for certification; samples. In addition to the requirements of §431.1 of this chapter, each such request shall contain:
 - (i) Results of tests and assays on:
- (a) The nystatin used in making the batch for potency, loss on drying, pH, and identity.
- (b) The batch for potency, moisture and pH.
 - (ii) Samples required:
- (a) The nystatin used in making the batch: 10 packages, each consisting of 300 milligrams.
- (b) The batch: A minimum of five immediate containers.
- (b) Tests and methods of assay—(1) Potency. Proceed as directed in § 436.105 of

this chapter, preparing the sample for assay as follows: Reconstitute the drug as directed in the labeling. Blend an appropriate aliquot in a high-speed glass blender for 3 to 5 minutes, using sufficient dimethylformamide to give a convenient concentration. Dilute an alsufficient with iguot dimethylformamide to give a stock solution containing 400 units of nystatin per milliliter. Further dilute an aliquot with 10 percent potassium phosphate buffer, pH 6.0 (solution 6), to the reference concentration of 20 units of nystatin per milliliter (estimated).

(2) *Moisture.* Using the dry powder, proceed as directed in §436.201 of this chapter.

(3) pH. Proceed as directed in §436.202 of this chapter, using the suspension after reconstituting as directed in the labeling.

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§449.150d Nystatin pastilles.

- (a) Requirements for certification—(1) Standards of identity, strength, quality, and purity. Nystatin pastilles are composed of nystatin with suitable diluents, binders, buffers, colorings, and flavorings. Each pastille contains nystatin equivalent to 200,000 units of nystatin. Its potency is satisfactory if it contains not less than 90 percent and not more than 125 percent of the number of units of nystatin that it is represented to contain. The pH in an aqueous solution is not less than 5.0 and not more than 7.5. It disintegrates within 90 minutes. The nystatin used conforms to the standards prescribed by § 449.50(a)(1).
- (2) Labeling. It shall be labeled in accordance with the requirements of § 432.5 of this chapter.
- (3) Requests for certification; samples. In addition to the requirements of §431.1 of this chapter, each such request shall contain:
- (i) Results of tests and assays on:
- (a) The nystatin used in making the batch for potency, loss on drying, pH, and identity.
- (b) The batch for potency, pH, and disintegration time.
- (ii) Samples, if required by the Director, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research: